IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Application of: Applicants: Takeda et al. JUL 2 5 **2005** 09/663,580 Serial No.: 2108 Conf. No.: September 15, 2000 Filed: **VERTICALLY-ALIGNED (VA)** For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY **DEVICE** Art Unit: 2871

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Transmitted herewith is a communication regarding the above-identified Application.

- (X) Request for Continued Examination (in duplicate) with a check for \$790.00.
- (X) Petition for Extension of Time (in duplicate) with a check for \$330.00. (\$120.00 was previously submitted June 23, 2005).
- (X) If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached response timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, by a check in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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